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1939 PRICE LIST

In again presenting our list of Distinctive Glads, we wish to thank our friends for their fine orders which caused our modest business to greatly increase during the past year. The number of repeat orders from customers of former years together with their letters of commendation assure us of the uniformly fine results obtained by those who purchase our bulbs. We appreciate greatly the fine things they tell their friends. Each year many of our new customers come from this source.

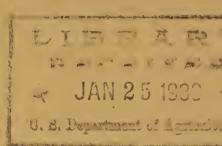
In addition to the fine varieties from other originators we are including this year one of our own origination, Flora Farmer, which we believe is worthy to be classed as a Distinctive Glad. As usual we have tried to keep our list selective rather than all inclusive. We have discontinued a few varieties formerly listed and have added some of the newer ones being careful to include only those which, on the basis of our personal experience, seem to have unusual merit.

All stock is guaranteed to be healthy, vigorous, free from thrips and true to name. You must be satisfied. The prices are very low for the high quality bulbs which we are offering. All quotations are subject to previous sale. We urge that you place your orders early so that you may not be disappointed. Last year we were unable to fill late orders of a number of varieties. Bulbs will be shipped as soon as danger of freezing is past and in plenty of time for planting unless you request otherwise. However, bulbs can be sent any time desired. No substitutions will be made without your permission. If we are out of a variety you order your money will be refunded unless you give us permission to make a substitution of size or variety.

DISTINCTIVE GLADS

EVERETT A. QUACKENBUSH

NEW CUMBERLAND, PA.
RETURN POSTAGE
GUARANTEED



PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

All prices from the retail list are prepaid to points in the United States. Prices as indicated in the quantity list are not pre-paid but are F. O. B. New Cumberland, Pa. A discount of 5% will be allowed on cash orders of \$2.00 to \$5.00 for named varieties from the retail list. On cash orders of over \$5.00 a discount of 10% will be allowed. These discounts do not apply to our new introduction Flora Farmer, to mixtures, nor to orders from the quantity price list. We also include worthwhile extras with retail orders. The value of the extras will be in proportion to the size of the orders. Suggest varieties desired as extras. If we have sufficient stock we will be glad to comply with your request.

Where a variety is listed at 2 for 10c or 2 for 12c please do not order a smaller number at a lower price. Five or more bulbs of the same variety will be sold at the 10 rate but no single item will be accepted for less than 10c. Twenty-five bulbs of the same variety will be sold at twice the price of ten. Where a 100 rate is also indicated 50 bulbs of the same size and variety will be sold at the 100 rate.

All bulbs listed as large size are 1½ inches and up, mostly 1½ inches and up, in diameter. Medium size bulbs are ¾ to 1½ inches in diameter. Small bulbs are ½ to ¾ inches in diameter. For the finest blooms large bulbs are best. Medium size bulbs of most varieties will give nice cut flowers but the spikes are not as long as from large bulbs. Although small bulbs of many varieties will bloom, others will not. The blooms from small bulbs will be noticeably smaller in size. Bulblets seldom bloom and are often difficult or impossible to germinate. We do not recommend them except to experienced growers.

VARIETY	LIMITED DESCRIPTION		BU	LBS		BULE	BLETS
		Per	Large	Med.	Smal	Per	
spike. Midseason.	eep begonia rose, shading to orange flame. Large florets. Tall	10	.10 .40	*****	•••••	pkt.	.10
perfect color. Mids		$\frac{2}{10}$.12 .45	.25	.15	•••••	•••••
	salmon rose. Fine for early blooms. Good cut flower. Very early	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$	2.50	.20 1.50	.12	pkt.	.10
	glowing red. Stands heat well. Early midseason.	2 10	.15 .40	•••••		•••••	•••••
markings, originate 1938. Tall strong superior to Comma			5.00	3.00	2.50	1 10	.25 2.00
in its color. Midses		$\frac{2}{10}$.10 .40	.20	.12	•••••	•••••
AVE MARIA—Lig midseason.	ght violet blue with small purplish blotch. Very fine. Early	10 100	$\frac{.40}{2.60}$.20 1.70	.12 1.00	pkt.	.10
BAGDAD—Smoky best in its color.	rose, lighter throat. An outstanding variety and one of the Late midseason.	10 100	$\frac{.40}{2.50}$.20 1.50	.10 .80	100	.10
	right rose doree scarlet with cream blotch. Tall straight spike	1	.25	.18	.12	•••••	•
BERTY SNOW—A ties. Midseason.	fine large pinkish lavender. One of the best exhibition varie-	2 10	.10 .40	•	•••••	*****	•••••
	oft creamy pink. "The glad with that school girl complexion."	2 10	.10	.20	.12	pkt.	
	L-Warm coral pink with pale yellow throat. One of finest	10 100	.40 2.75	.20 1.40	.10	100	.10
BLEEDING HEAR	T—White tinted pink with large red blotch. One of the finest Many open. Midseason.	$\frac{2}{10}$.10	.20	.12	pkt. 1000	.10 1.00
	Beautiful light blue. Long straight spike. Midseason.	$\frac{2}{10}$.12	*****	•••••		*****
CANBERRA—Tall exhibition variety.	vigorous clear yellow. Large flowers. Many open. Fine	10	.40	.20	.12	pkt.	.10
	Tall decorative lavender. Straight spike. Early.	100	2.75	1.60 .25	1.00 .15	1000	.50
	NS-Bright radiant purple, darker blotch. Many open. An	100	3.00	•••••			*****
	EHL—Beautiful large clear blood red. One of the best of its	10 10	.40	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
	ch)—A new light salmon pink with a cream throat blotch. A	100	3.00 .60	.30	.15	5	.15
	—Old copper and bronze—a most distinctive and artistic vari-	10 2	4.80	2.40	1.20	pkt.	.10
	oft light salmon shading to cream and creamy yellow in throat. a variety. Midseason.	$10 \\ 10 \\ 100$.35 $.40$ 2.50	.25 1.50	.15 .90	100	.10
DEBONAIR—LaFr	ance pink, cream throat. Tall straight spike. Late midseason.	$\frac{2}{10}$.12 .40	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
DREAM O' BEAU'. bition rose. Midsea	TY—Strong growing, vivid deep rose. Perhaps the best exhison.	10 100	.40 3.00	.25 1.75	.15	pkt. 1000	.10 .50
	TT-Tall brilliant scarlet. Large flowers. Many open. A prize	2° 10	.10	.20	.12		•••••
	ark red, edged with gray. Midseason.	1 10	.12 .90	.60	.40	25	.10
DR. MOODY—Ligh midseason.	t lavender. Long spike. Many open. One of the best. Early	$\frac{2}{10}$.10 .40	.20	.12	pkt.	.10
	pinky buff. Color unusual and very pretty. Five or six large e. Midseason.	$\frac{2}{10}$.12 .40	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
	n early geranium pink. Tall spike, good propagator.	$\frac{2}{10}$.10	.20		pkt. 1000	.10 .50
EARLY MELODY- commercial cut flow	Pale lavender pink. Tall grower. Becoming popular as a	10 10	.10	•20	• ± 44	1000	.00
	Light red to rose pink. Large flower, straight spike. Very	$\frac{10}{2}$.12 .50	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
	Light salmon rose with red blotch. Many open. One of the	2 10	.10	.25	15		
	-Rose red, often overlaid slate, cherry blotch. An outstanding	10 10	.10	•••••		*****	
FLAMING METEO	R-Very tall straight spike with long flower head. Bright	2	.14	•••••			.20
FLORA FARMER-	ng and very popularOur 1939 introduction. A radiant pure pink with a creamy	10 1			5.00	100	1.00
FRANK J. McCOY	beautiful and distinctive. —Immense tall pure pink. Winner champion spike. Late	2	.12		15	20	.10
	Carly decorative. Ruffled grenadine pink with a light yellow	10 2	.10	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
	salmon shading to a golden throat. Coloring among the most	10	.35	.20	.10	pkt.	.10
	ladiolus. Late midseason. —Beautiful large ruffled light yellow. Midseason.	100	.12	1.60	.80	100	
	-Very tall, clear, deep yellow. One of the best. Late mid-	$\frac{10}{2}$.50 .10	.25	.15	100	.20
season. IRAK—A silvery g	rey sport of Bagdad. Better color than Marmora and taller.	10 1	.35 .35			10	.20
Late midseason.	new cattleya pink or pale lavender with a soft lilac liue. Wide	10 1	2.80 .50	*****		•••••	•



Flora Farmer

DISTINCTIVE GLADS

EVERETT A. QUACKENBUSH

New Cumberland, Pa.

IT IS with great pride that we present Flora Farmer, the first Gladiolus of our origination to be introduced. Because of its unusual beauty, its charm, its difference in color from other available varieties, and its many fine qualities, we believe that it represents a distinct contribution to the realm of Gladiolus.

As Seedling 31G3 it attracted favorable attention at the several eastern shows where displayed during the past summer. At the Boston Show of the New England Gladiolus Society it was granted an Award of Merit by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society. At Syracuse the Empire State Gladiolus Society awarded it a Certificate of Merit. In the popularity vote at the show of the Maryland Gladiolus Society, where a vase of this seedling was displayed with our trade exhibit, 136 varieties were included on the ballots deposited by the visitors but only two varieties, Picardy and Minuet, received a greater number of votes than did this then unnamed seedling.

Flora Farmer is a very beautiful, radiant, pure pink with a creamy white throat. The color of the larger outer petals often deepens toward the edges and outer points to almost a light red. Its two lower inside petals are creamy white edged with pure pink. The florets are large and nicely ruffled. They are usually 5½ to 6 inches in diameter, although florets as large as 6¾ inches are not unusual on well-grown spikes. Under ordinary conditions it usually opens 5 or 6 large florets at a time, although we have seen it with 9 open. Nearly all of the buds show strong color by the

time the first floret opens, which adds greatly to its value for decorative purposes and as a commercial cut-flower. When cut in bud it opens up well to the tip of the spike.

Its strong spike is of good height and does not crook or fall over. The flower-head is long and usually carries 18 or 19 buds when grown from large bulbs. It is a strong, healthy grower. The leaves are broad and strong but are attached to the spike rather low so that it may be cut quite close to the ground without injury to the plant. It produces a good quantity of bulblets which germinate easily. Bulblets make good growth the first year and sometimes bloom.

This Glad is delightfully different. Like Picardy and a few others, it has that indescribable quality called "charm." In addition to its exhibition value due to its impressive size, its beauty of color and form give it great decorative value. Commercial growers and florists who have seen it believe it has great possibilities as a commercial cut-flower.



VARIETY	LIMITED DESCRIPTION .		BULBS		BULBLETS		
		Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	
JOHN T. PIRIE— tinctive and odd. M	Mahogany brown, darker throat, bordered yellow. Very dis- Iidseason.	$\begin{array}{c} 2\\10\end{array}$.10 .40	.20		•••••	*****
	TETS-Very large pure white. Many open. Considered one	2	.15	*****	.12	•••••	•••••
	mmense ruffled rosy lavender. Does not open many at a time	10 2	.45 .15	.25	.15	mlet	10
but is very distincti	ve and beautiful.	10	.50	******	•••••	pkt.	.10
promising and we t	rridge)—New deep yellow with many open. This looks very hink it will become popular.	1	1.00	*****	*****	•••••	•••••
LIBELLE—Perhaps	the purest light blue from Pfitzer. Very fine early.	$\frac{2}{10}$.12 .45	•••••	*****	•••••	•••••
LA PALOMA—Tall Early midseason.	rich orange. Different than any other in color. Fine cut flower.	10 100	.35 2.50	.20 1.50	.10	pkt.	.10
	maroon red with darker blotch. Very fine variety and stands	1	.15			10	.15
	-Ruffled bright salmon pink with yellow throat. A very beau-	1 10	.10			25	.10
	olored glad of soft light pink with cream throat. Truly ex-	2	.60		•••••	pkt.	.10
•	S—Beautiful milky white with cream throat. Tall spike, large	10 2	.40 .12	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
ower, good placeme	ent. The best cut flower, white. Late midseason.	10	.40	.25	.15	ък	
arieties. Midseasor		$\frac{2}{10}$.12 $.45$.25	.15		
IARGARET FULT Tery beautiful. Mid	CON—Very rich deep salmon pink. Unusually solid color. season.	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$.40 2.50	.20 1.50	.12 .90	100 qt.	$\frac{.10}{2.00}$
IARMORA—Wond	erful silvery lavender gray with petunia blotch. Eight or	2	.10			100	.10
	e. One of the best in existence. Midseason.	$\frac{10}{2}$.40 .10	.20	.12	1000 pkt.	.75 .10
	I—Unquestionably one of the best whites with yellow throat.	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ \cdot 2 \end{array}$.35 $.12$.20	.12	pkt.	.10
eautifully ruffled.	Late midseason.	10	.50	.25	.15		
ut graceful and be	—Delightful warm salmon pink. Spike and flowers large autiful. Early midseason.	$\frac{2}{10}$.12 .40	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
IILFORD—Tall lig he best of its color	ht blue with 7 or more open. Very fine and considered one of	$\frac{1}{10}$	1.20			2 5	.15
	t light lavender and one of the finest of all glads. Late mid-	10 100	.40 3.00	.25 1.75	.15 1.00	pkt.	.10
IISS BLOOMINGT	ON-Deep lemon self. Nice spike. Very early. Perhaps the	2	.10			pkt.	.10
est early yellow. IOTHER MACHRI	EE—Beautiful golden lavender smoky that defies description.	$\frac{10}{2}$.40 $.12$.20	.12	•••••	•••••
ery fine. Midseason	ORD—Exquisite appleblossom pink with touch of canary in	$\frac{10}{2}$.50 .10				
roat. Straight spi	ke. Late midseason.	$10 \\ 2$.40	••••	•••••	pkt.	.10
arly midseason.	BECK—Eosine pink. Large flowers, many open. Nice spike.	10	.40	•••••			
	SE—Beautiful creamy white, light yellow throat. Very large lecks. Early midseason.	$\frac{2}{10}$.10 .40	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
IRS. S. A. ERREY	—Rich orange salmon with orange red blotch. Many immense me. Cut when first bloom opens as it fades in sun.	$\frac{2}{10}$.10 .40	.20	.12	pkt.	.10
_	FLY—Glowing, bronze orange prim. Many open. Very fine.	2	.10				
lidseason.	2—Very fine rich, dark orange. Tall, strong grower. Perhaps	$\frac{10}{2}$.40 .10	.20	.10	pkt.	.10
ne best orange. La		10	.40	.20	.12		•
ELEGRINA—The eautiful in its color	richest and deepest of Pfitzer's violet blues. Probably the most	$\frac{2}{10}$.12 .50				•••••
HYLLIS McQUIST	ON—A beautiful pure pink with a lighter throat. Tall straight	2 10	.12	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
CARDY—Sensation	wer. Try this one. onal salmon pink. Beautiful coloring and perfect form. Most	10	.40	.20	.10	100	.10
pular variety grov MPERNEL—Prob	vn. Midseason. ably the leader in the scarlet with white throat class. Tall	$\frac{100}{2}$	$2.50 \\ .12$	1.50	.75	•••••	•••••
ike with many lar		$\frac{10}{2}$.50 .12				
ooms, straight spil	e. Midseason.	10	.50	.15	.10	pkt.	.10
KIDE OF WANAI ason.	AH—Rose pink with deeper throat. Outstanding. Late mid-	$\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 100 \end{array}$	2.00	1.25	.75		••••
APTURE—Fine m	edium light salmon with diffused yellow blotch. Tall straight	10 100	.40 2.50	.25 1.50	.15 .80	100	.10
oike. Fine late cut ECOVERY—Tall s	flower. almon rose overlaid with red. A fine exhibition variety which	2	.12		••••	100	.20
winning many pri	zes. ne rose, purplish red blotch. Tall spike. Many open. Out-	$\frac{10}{2}$.50 .12		•••••		
anding.	ving light red. Splendid spike, good placement, many open.	$\frac{10}{2}$.40 .12				•••••
idseason.		10	.40	•••••	•	*****	•••••
EVERIE—Clear lig	tht pink shading to cream. Vigorous, healthy plant. Late mid-	$\frac{2}{10}$.12 .50			•••••	
NIA (NI:4L) NI.		1	1.20	.60	.30	1	.10 .70
MA (Mitsch)—No	w lilac pink with cream throat. Very beautiful. Should be-		9.60	4.80	2.40	10	.10
me a fine commerc ITA BECK—Very	ial. large blooms of clear La France pink. A prize winner in	$\frac{10}{2}$	9.60 .10		•••••	•••••	•••••
me a fine commerc TA BECK—Very e pale pink class.	ial. large blooms of clear La France pink. A prize winner in Late midseason.	$ \begin{array}{c} 10 \\ 2 \\ 10 \\ 2 \end{array} $.10 .40 .10				
ome a fine commerc ITA BECK—Very he pale pink class. UFFLED GOLD—	ial. large blooms of clear La France pink. A prize winner in	$\frac{10}{2}$ 10	.10 .40		*****	•••••	•••••

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VARIETY	LIMITED DESCRIPTION		BUI	LBS		BULB	LETS
		Per	Large	Med.	Small	Per	
SNOWDEN-A great	exhibition white with a slight feather. Similar to Joergs'	2	.12				
white but a tall grow	er.	10	.45				
SPIRIT OF ST. LOUI	S-Large flowered burnt orange, slight markings. Early mid-	10	.40	.20	.10	100	.10
season.	T23.5 A JC1 1.4	100	2.50	1.50	.75	1000	.50
	EM—A wonderful new white with a bit of cream on lower	1	.10			20	.10
	ite we grow. Midseason. ely decorative white with pink edges. Quite early.	10	.70	.40	.25	100	.40
SWEETHERIU-LOV	ery decorative write with plan edges. Quite early.	$\frac{2}{10}$.10 .40	.25	.15	pkt.	.10
SYMPHONY—Light	rosy pink with clear cream blotch. Tall straight spike.	$\overset{10}{2}$.12	.20		pkt.	.10
Medium flowers. Mid	season.	10	.50	••••			
THOMAS A. EDISOI	N-Heavily ruffled dark red, velvety texture. One of the	2	.15		4 =	10	.15
finest ruffled varieties	ge, clear purple. Tall grower with six or more open. One	$\frac{10}{2}$.60 .12	.30	.15	100	.80
of the best in its cold	or. Midseason.	10	.50				•••••
TREVONIAN—A larg	e rose red. Fine exhibition and commercial. Strong grower,	2	.15			pkt.	.10
good propagator. Earl	y midseason.	10	.50				
open on a tall spike.	A gorgeous mahogany brown with a flame blotch. Many	1	.20	.15	.10	•••••	•••••
	ridescent buff, distinctly beautiful. Clear color, good spike,	2	.12			pkt.	.10
nicely ruffled. Midsea		10	.40	.25	.15	p	•=•
WHITE BUTTERFLY	-White primulinus with soft cream throat. Very beautiful	10	.40	.20	.10	pkt.	.10
cut flower. Early.		100	3.00	1.50	.75		
WURTEMBERGIA-I	Giery scarlet with cream throat. Immense blooms on tall	2	.12				
	like red try this. Late.	10	.50		•••••		
YELLOW PERFECTI	ON—Medium yellow. Every spike straight and well placed.	2	.10			pkt.	.10
	exhibition. Early midseason.	10	.40		90		10
feather. Outstanding.	and perhaps best smoky. Silvery rose with orange salmon	1	1.20	.60	.30	$\frac{1}{10}$.10 .70
	Named varieties of our selection, but not labeled. If	50	1.10	.65			
labeled this collection	would cost much more.	100	2.00	1.15			*****
	RE—A well balanced selection of large flowered, named,	50	1.60				
exhibition varieties bu	t not labeled.	100	3.00				

QUANTITY PRICE LIST -- Not Prepaid

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VARIETY	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6 Under	
	1½" Up	1 1/4 - 1 1/2 '	1-11/4"	3/4-1''	1/2 - 3/4 "		per qt.
AFLAME	\$2.20	\$1.70	••••		••••		\$2.00
*ALBATROS	2.25	1.80		•••••	*****		
AL SMITH	2.00	1.50	*****	•••••	•••••	<u> </u>	1.00
AVE MARIA	2.20	*****					
*BAGDAD	1.50	1.25	1.00	.80	.60	.50	1.00
CANBERRA	2.00	1.60	••••				
COMMANDER KOEHL	2.20	1.80	••••		•••••		•••••
*CORONATION	1.50	1.25	1.00	.80	.60	.50	1.50
DEBONAIR	2.00	1.60		•••••		•••••	
DREAM O'BEAUTY	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.20	.90	.70	3.00
EARLY DAWN	1.50	1.25	1.00	.80	.60	.50	1.00
EARLY MELODY	2.00	1.75	•••••		•••••		1.25
EDITH ROBSON	2.40	2.00	•••••	•••••		•••••	
GIANT NYMPII	1.50	1.25	*****		*****		
GLORIANA	1.50				•••••		*****
GOLD EAGLE	1.25	1.00	.80	.60	•••••		
LA PALOMA	1.50	1.25					1.00
LOTUS	2.50	2.00	1.60	1.40	1.20	1.00	2.00
*MAID OF ORLEANS	2.25	1.80	•••••		*****		2.25
*MAMMOTH WHITE	2.25	1.90					
*MARGARET FULTON	1.75	1.40	1.00	.80	.65	.50	1.25
MARMORA	2.00	1.75			•••••	•	2.50
MARNIA	1.40	1.20	1.00	.80	.60	.40	1.00
MILDRED LOUISE	2.00	1.50					
*MINUET	2.25	1 90				••••	
MRS. ERREY	2.40	2.00			•••••	••••	
*PICARDY	1.50	1.25	1.00	.80	.60	.50	1.00
*PRIDE OF WANAKAH	1.25	1.00					1.00
*RAPTURE	1.75	1.50	1.20	.90	.70	.50	1.00
*SPIRIT OF ST. LOUIS	1.50	1.25	1.00	.80	.60	.40	1.().)
SWEETHEART	2.00	1.60	1.25	1.00	.80	.60	
THOMAS A. EDISON	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.75			•••••
TREVONIAN	2.75	2.25			•••••		•••••